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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified continuation application, please  
amend the application as follows.

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read as follows:

--RECORDING APPARATUS INCLUDING PLURAL STORAGE  
MEANS HAVING STANDBY MODES--.